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OFFICE OF PESTICIDES AND TOXIC SUBSTANCES

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## **MEMORANDUM**

SUBJECT: Alachlor(090501) - Request for updated market

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THRU: Edward Zager, Section Head

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At this time, we are requesting updated information on the percentage of crop treated with alachlor. Please verify the information supplied previously or provide us with new information.

In addition to the percentage of each crop treated, we need information on the percentage of each type of application used for corn, soybeans, and peanuts. If exact percentages are not available, please provide information in qualitative terms, i.e., typical use pattern and negligible use, < 5% of the total acreage. Please provide information on the following treatments:

## Corn:

8 lb ai/A at any time
Preplant or preemergence at <4 lb ai/A
Early post emergence at <4 lb ai/A
Sequential application
Layby application

## Soybeans

8 lb ai/A at any time Preplant or preemergence at <4 lb ai/A Early post emergence at <4 lb ai/A Sequential application Peanuts

8 lb ai/A at cracking layby application

These figures are needed to support the dietary exposure assessment for the alachlor Special Review. Information has also been requested from Monsanto.

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TS-769:RCB:SVH:svh:RM810:CM#2:06/11/87